

## CITY AFFAIRS.

Mr. WILLIAM E. SIMMONS, Jr., is the travelling agent for THE NEWS, for South Carolina.

## Meetings This Day.

Friendship Lodge, No. 4, K. of P., at 7 P. M.  
St. Joseph's Latin Society, at half-past 8 A. M.  
Union Chapter, at half-past 7 P. M.  
Carolina Rifle Club, at half-past 7 P. M.  
Phi-Kappa-Beta Association, at 12 M.

## Auction Sales This Day.

Wm. McKay will sell at 10 o'clock, at his store, in Meeting street, dry goods, clothing, &c.  
Letch & Bruns will sell at 10 o'clock, at the northeast corner of Wentworth and King streets, contents of a cigar store.  
Laurey, Alexander & Co. will sell at 10 o'clock, butter, strips, &c.

WASHINGTON RIFLE CLUB.—The anniversary meeting of this organization takes place this evening at their hall. An election for officers and other important business will be disposed of.

SHINY ON YOUR OWN SIDE!—The supporters of Congressmen DeLarge indignantly declare that C. W. Butts, who has been arrested in Washington for lictious conduct, is not the attorney of DeLarge, but is now and has been for some time past engaged in Washington as the attorney of Representative Bowen.

THE ST. JOSEPH'S LATIN SOCIETY will assemble at half-past eight o'clock this morning, at Hibernian Hall, and proceed to attend High Mass at St. Peter's church. In the evening the Society will elect its officers for the ensuing year, and partake of supper at Hibernian Hall.

THE LEE SOCIAL CLUB.—A number of our young business men have just formed a social club under the above name. They have furnished a suite of neat rooms at the corner of King and Liberty streets, where the files of the newspapers and other attractions are provided. The club, which has as yet but a small membership, but managed, as it is, with tact and judgment, bids fair to increase and prosper.

A BUS ON THREE WHEELS.—Yesterday afternoon while an omnibus, returning from the Savannah and Charleston Railroad depot, was passing through Hasel street, filled with passengers, the right hand wheel flew off and rolled to the sidewalk. The shouts of the insiders admonished the driver that something was wrong, and he quickly reined up. The passengers got out with amazing alacrity, and even the ladies did not wait to be helped out. The bus was soon fixed, but the passengers preferred to walk the short distance to the hotel.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT.—Yesterday morning Mr. J. J. Beasley, the well known keeper of the Masonic Hall, fell from the second story piazza of the building in the rear of Messrs. S. R. Marshall & Co.'s hardware store, corner King and Society streets, and was badly hurt. He was moving a table along the piazza when the railing on the edge, against which he was leaning, gave way, and he fell upon the bricks beneath, a distance of some fifteen feet. He was for a time unconscious, but revived, and was borne to his residence in Society street, near Meeting. His bruises are of little moment, but it is feared that he has received internal injuries of a more serious nature. At last accounts he was doing well.

CLUBS AND STARS.—Daniel Green, a little colored boy with one arm, arrested for breaking a street-lamp with a brickbat, was dismissed upon showing that it was an accident. Edward Wright, arrested for being drunk and raising a disturbance on East Bay, near Lanrens street, was fined two dollars, with an alternative of ten days in the House of Correction.

Two sailors, who got drunk, quarrelled and fought it out at the corner of East Bay and Market streets, were arrested, and visited each with a similar sentence. Both paid up.

A goat found astray in Broad street and a cow wandering on the Battery, each cost their owners one dollar to recover them.

Kit Butler and John McGinnis, colored, arrested on the charge of stealing cotton from the Ann-street Depot of the South Carolina Railroad, were brought before Trial Justice Lovett for trial. Kit pleaded guilty, and was sentenced to pay a fine of one dollar and costs, or go to jail for fifteen days. He paid up. McGinnis was not prosecuted.

LATER ACCOUNTS OF THE FIRE IN STON.—In the report of the Union fire, published in Monday's News, some inaccuracies occurred, and some losses were omitted. The report that a child was burned is not true. No life was lost. There is no doubt whatever now that the fire was the work of an incendiary. The authorities of the town investigated the matter the next day, and will make a report. It is said that several colored men were to be seen, and even these did not show their usual alacrity to work at the fire. The M.asonic lodge room was over A. H. Foster's store. Mr. W. A. Nicholson saved the charter, and other persons saved some of the working-jewels, but all the furniture was either broken in removing or was burned. Too much praise cannot be given to Captain French, commandant of the post, Lieutenant McDougal, and the United States soldiers under their command for their prompt and valuable aid in checking the flames. The captain, as soon as he was informed of the fire, immediately had the alarm sounded, and, without stopping to dress, rode around the camp and called the men up—about a mile distant—and they labored hard to subdue the flames until the fire was stopped.

## Hotel Arrivals—March 18.

PATILION HOTEL.  
T. S. Crowson, Wadesboro; R. H. Kellaher, Potlato Ferry; J. Kaempe, Darlington; S. Marco, South Carolina; A. D. McNeill, Lynchburg; M. C. Brewer, P. M. Mouzon, North-eastern Railroad; R. M. Stokes, Union; A. Loryea, Miss M. Loryea, Miss Hymar, J. E. Hymar, South Carolina.

MILLS HOUSE.  
Geo. W. Jenkins, New Orleans; E. French, Cleveland; John Solomon, Mrs. Solomon, Wm. Coll, New York; Thos. G. Blackwell, Columbia; Mrs. O. M. Bassett, Jersey City; J. C. Talbot, Boston; J. A. Enser, Columbia.

CHARLESTON HOTEL.  
F. E. Levesaure, New Orleans; Wm. M. McBurnie, F. M. Jeffery, C. A. Hickler, J. T. Sawyer, M. Lyman, Jr., D. R. Austin and daughter, New York; H. O. Bright and daughter, Miss L. C. Howe, Cambridge, Mass.; W. H. Wentworth, Boston; W. J. Smith, R. J. Hubbard, Mrs. Hubbard and maid, Mrs. W. M. Brown, D. Fraser, New York; Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Troutman, Miss Troutman, Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Gage, West. Robert Gage, Boston; Jos. A. Yates, South Carolina; Wm. Johnson, Charlotte; A. T. O'Brien, New Orleans; L. J. White and wife, Alken, S. C.; Mrs. Buchanan, Mrs. Beckett and child, Louisville, Kentucky.

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## THE COURTS YESTERDAY.

**The Juries for the Coming Tonight.**  
In the Court of Common Pleas, yesterday, no business of interest was transacted beyond the organization of the juries. Of the new juries summoned for the day only eleven answered, and twenty-three additional ones having been drawn, the juries for the coming two weeks were organized as follows:  
Jury No. 1.—Hutson Lee, foreman; A. A. Aspinall, John A. Blum, E. R. Bolger, Richard Given, J. A. Derref, J. B. Da Costa, C. W. Getty, Robert Howard, H. M. Manigault, F. L. Meyer, Wm. McLeod.  
Jury No. 2.—L. Sherfessce, foreman; B. Motte, J. B. Plumeau, N. J. Pettit, Jr., John B. Reeves, John Robinson, Wm. Sparks, Seth Spencer, Thomas Small, Philip Thorne, C. H. Vanderhorst, Edward Weston.  
Supernumeraries—McDuff Cohen, J. Canneville, R. R. Williams, W. J. Yates, Henry Fordham.  
The case of L. P. Wagener vs. Hunt Brothers & Co., was then taken up, and the testimony for the plaintiff heard, after which court adjourned.  
The following cases are fixed for to-day: Wm. Preston Dowling vs. James G. Padgett; E. Gooding vs. J. A. Qaackebush; Caroline L. Miller vs. Charles H. Simonton; Thomas Rivers, administrator, vs. the Charleston Mining and Manufacturing Company; James M. Allen vs. Richard H. Cain; Peter Korahrens vs. C. L. Korahrens; S. S. Solomon vs. B. Schur; Gustavus Pozanski, executor, et al. vs. T. M. Cater.

**The United States Court.**  
The District Court was occupied all day in hearing the case of Farmer vs. Sanders, and adjourned until 11 A. M. to-day.

**BUILDING MATERIAL.**—An extensive stock and large variety of Doors, Sashes, Blinds, Balusters, Mouldings, &c., are kept constantly on hand by Mr. P. P. Toole, at his warehouse, No. 20 Hayne street and No. 33 Pinckney street. The above are all made at his own factory on Horbeck's wharf. He keeps, also, French and American Window Glass, Stained Glass, Slate Mantels, Builders' Hardware, &c., from the best manufacturers. mch8-fm1w1r

**KING'S MOUNTAIN RAILROAD.**—Attention is called to the sale of the King's Mountain Railroad, by H. H. DeLeon, on Wednesday next. This is a rare chance to purchase a good and paying Road, as the net income last year was equal to ten (10) per cent. on eighty thousand dollars (\$80,000), and the iron on the Road (twenty-three miles) is worth as old iron from sixty to seventy thousand dollars. The sale is positive. mch19-2

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